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EPA releases proposals Lead cleanup outlined

By Mike Myers
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — A plan for Superfund cleanup of Taracorp lead-contaminated sites has been recommended by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

The plan is one of seven proposals being put forward by the EPA during its comment period on the sites. The comment period is scheduled to open today.

A public meeting on the cleanup plan is scheduled Feb. 8 at 7 p.m. in the Granite City Township Building, 2850 Delmar Ave.

The recommended plan calls for:

- A permanent cap to be placed on the entire Taracorp pile at the 15th and State streets site.
- Off-site recovery of the lead from 25-35 drums of lead waste on the surface of the Taracorp pile. The recovery is to be made at an unspecified secondary lead smelter.
- Evacuation and consolidation of the waste battery case materials at the St. Louis Lead Recyclers plant, located next to the Taracorp pile, with the Taracorp pile.
- Evacuation of the battery case material used as paving material in alleys in Venice and consolidating the case material with the Taracorp pile.
- The surface of the alleys would then be restored.
- Evacuation of the battery case material used as fill in Eagle Park Acres and consolidating it with the Taracorp pile.
- Evacuation of the soil at the unpaired surfaces adjacent to Tri-City Trucking in the 1500 block of

State and consolidation of the soil with the Taracorp pile. The surfaces would be restored.

• Evacuation of the soil in the residential areas located near the site which are considered contaminated. This includes approximately 55 blocks that immediately surround the Taracorp pile. The contaminated soil would be consolidated with the Taracorp pile. The areas would be restored after the evacuation of the soil.

• Monitoring of the air and groundwater, drilling of additional deep wells and formation of contingency plans.

Although no official could be reached Tuesday morning, the EPA has said the recommended plan will protect both human health and the environment. It will comply with all applicable state and federal regulations, reduce movement of contaminated material and be most cost-effective overall, the EPA said.

Other alternatives considered include:

- Taking no action while monitoring air and groundwater quality and restricting access to the site and restricting land use, deed use and sales.
- Covering a consolidated Taracorp and SLLR pile with a permanent cap and covering all other areas with either asphalt or sod.
- Recovery of the battery case material and lead in the Taracorp pile followed by disposal of the residuals in an "RCRA landfill" combined with evacuation of all affected soil and putting it in an RCRA landfill.

The proposed cleanup alternatives are the result (See TARACORP, Page 10A)

Couple lose baby, home

By Meg Tebo
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Robert and Lori Rayoum thought things were looking up. Their baby was due in mid-January and they had been told that a two-bedroom apartment was available for them at Town and Country Apartments, a federally subsidized, private apartment complex at 2562 Parkview Drive.

Then Lori lost the baby. So, in accordance with Department of Housing and Urban Development regulations, she informed the apartment management.

"They told me they'd still give us the two-bedroom since we're going to try to have another baby right away and since we'd already got ready to move in," said Lori, 18.

But then, the Rayoums were told that under HUD rules, they are no longer eligible for the two-bedroom apartment because they are not a "family." They were told they would have to wait for an available one-bedroom apartment.

"Getting the apartment was like medicine to them after they lost the baby. They were



Robert and Lori Rayoum
...waiting

still excited about moving into their own place, and they had bought a few little things. Then those people said they'd have to go back to waiting for a smaller place," said Shelia Rayoum, Robert's mother, with whom the couple is living.

According to the Illinois Housing Development Authority, which administers HUD-re-

lated properties in Illinois, HUD rules state that couples without children cannot be placed in a two-bedroom housing unit when there are other families with children waiting for a two-bedroom unit.

Similarly, families with children cannot be placed in a one-bedroom unit.

(See COUPLE, Page 10A)

Nameoki to ask for boundary ruling

By Meg Tebo
Staff writer

NAMEOKI TOWNSHIP — In an attempt to keep its tax base intact, the board of trustees voted Monday to ask the Illinois Attorney General about the legal status of Granite City and Granite City Township as a coterminous entity.

The Nameoki board contends that annexations by Granite City no longer should automatically become part of Granite Township.

The precedent was established when residents of Nameoki's Gorbey subdivision voted in 1988 to stay a part of Nameoki Township after being annexed by Granite City.

Coterminous means the township and city share the same legal boundaries.

Previously, Assistant State's Attorney Dean Sweet issued an opinion signed by State's Attorney Bill Hest that said Gorbey was a special case and that Granite City and Granite City Township should be treated (See NAMEOKI, Page 10A)

Reviews and previews

Shopping centers being considered

Two different development companies are looking at separate sites on which to construct large-scale shopping centers not far from Interstates 270 and 255. Depending on whose project gets off the ground first, Pontoon Beach or Glen Carbon could be the beneficiary. Mathis Properties of St. Louis and Nashville, Tenn., is interested in developing 200 acres south of 270 at Illinois 111 in Pontoon Beach. Terra Properties of Highland is studying the feasibility of building a regional shopping center on the west side of Illinois 157, south of Interstate 270 in Glen Carbon.

East Granite crowd has ideas

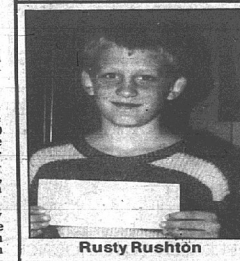
About 150 residents attended a spirited meeting last week concerning the city's plans to rehabilitate an area of East Granite. Economic Development Director Alan Orbital was given several suggestions for the area, including cracking down on absentee landlords who fail to keep up properties, repairing cracked sidewalks and providing low-cost loans for rehabilitation projects. Orbital plans to meet this week with officials of the Madison County Community Development agency concerning a timetable for loans for rehabilitation projects.

50 years ago

Monday, Jan. 8, 1940

At least six inches of snow fell on the area, adding to the more than eight inches already on the ground from previous snows, completely overwhelming the Granite City Street Department and leaving any snow removal to a few energetic citizens.

Tip of the hat



Rusty Rushton

Quite a card

Rusty Rushton, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rushton of Staunton, earned second place in a Christmas card contest sponsored by the American Steel Foundries for children. Ray Rushton has been employed by the company at the Granite City works for 18 years. Rusty was awarded a \$50 check for his creativity and was sent a personal letter of congratulations from Norm Berg, president of American Steel.

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Page lists names of deceased

A special page listing the names of all those who died during the year 1989 will be published in the Press-Record tomorrow.

Response to a similar effort last year encouraged the paper to repeat the project. Approximately 925 names will appear.

The full-page feature will contain only the names printed in obituaries in the Press-Record, Journal and Sunday Journal. Reference is also made to age, hometown or connection to the area.

Since the press run is limited in number, non-subscribers wishing to get a copy of the special edition are advised to do so early Thursday.

State Loan now Guardian Bank

By Andy Stiering
Staff writer

Following an extensive advertising campaign, the shareholders of State Loan and Savings Association voted Jan. 5 to change the institution's name to Guardian Savings Bank.

The name change accompanies Guardian's change from being a state-chartered S&L to a federally-chartered savings bank.

President Jim Seiz said, "Only our name and operational charter are changing. Our depositors are still our owners. We haven't been bought out by some mega-bank system."

Seiz said that despite the negative publicity about S&Ls occasioned by the federal bailout of a number of S&Ls, Guardian still wanted to have a good year in 1989, earning \$157,971 on assets of more than \$30 million.

He attributed that performance to Guardian's "good asset quality, cost containment, effective interest-rate management and conservative lending policies — namely, mortgages and mortgage pool securities."

The association is included on Brauer Financial Reports' Safest Thrift List and on the Sheshunoff Informational Services List and the Highest Rated S&L's in America.

Offering a variety of savings instruments, checking accounts and loans, Guardian on Nov. 30, 1989, had a ratio of capital to assets of 9 percent, well above the minimum requirement of 3 percent and among the highest in the country, Seiz said.

Seiz said the changeover from a state charter to a federal charter will save about \$7,000 a year in bank examiner fees and save a lot of paperwork as well, by reducing duplication of reports.

"With a state charter, we experienced a duplication of services and costs," he said. "We were subjected to controls, reports and audits by both the state and federal governments."

But Seiz said little would change other than the association's name. He said he will recognize the same faces and all our employees and directors are dedicated to continuing the tradition of safety, soundness and service associated with our institution," he said.

Shareholders elected directors Donald G. Adams, Loren H. Davis, Maurice Dailey, Richard H. Ervay, Walter C. Milton, Frank R. Rea and Seiz. The directors were to elect officers Tuesday afternoon, after the Journal went to press.

Guardian Savings Bank has offices at Niedringhaus and Edison avenues in downtown Granite City and a branch facility at 3900 Nameoki Road.

The savings association was founded in 1919.

Glasnost leads to summer journey

By Meg Tebo
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — New freedoms in the Soviet Union mean new opportunities for a Granite City High School student who will travel behind the Iron Curtain this summer.

Mason Connolly, a junior at GCIS, is one of a handful of American high school students chosen to spend three weeks this summer in the Soviet Union as a student goodwill ambassador. They will spend their time talking to students and exploring the similarities and differences in the way the average person in each country views the world.

Although Connolly has not yet been given the specific departure date for his delegation of the Friendship Caravan, he is already excited about the opportunities that await him.

"I want to show them that we're not the bad guys, and we know they're not, either. It's just our two governments that are different," Connolly said.

Connolly was chosen after an extensive screening process among dozens of high-achieving



FIREFIIGHTERS LOCAL 253 gives Mason Connolly \$1,000 toward his trip to the Soviet Union next summer as a student ambassador. From left are Local 253 member Dave Jenkins, Connolly and Local 253 President Art Asadorian.

high school students.

He's ranked 19th of 585 students in his high school class and has participated in mathematics contests with a special honors math group. He dreams

of being a doctor.

Connolly's mother Jennifer said her son has always been a bit shy.

"I hope he'll come back with a real understanding of people and

some new friends. I think it's a real honor for him to have been chosen and I'm just really excited for him," she said.

Mason's father, Tim, is a Granite City firefighter. The firefighters union local gave Mason \$1,000 toward the \$3,900 total the trip will cost, and he has written to several other organizations asking for financial assistance. So far, though, there's been no response from those groups.

Prior to departure, Connolly will meet several times with the other students who have been chosen to participate, to learn some Soviet customs and language skills to help on the trip.

The group will be briefed in Washington, D.C., before being bused to New York for the flight to Moscow. In Russia, they will be briefed again before beginning a six-city journey that may include a home stay with a Soviet family.

When he returns, Connolly said he hopes to share his experiences with students and others here by giving talks and slide shows.

Man held on attempted murder warrant

An Indiana man was arrested at 4:33 p.m. Jan. 5 at the Illinois Motel on a California warrant alleging parole violation.

Granite City police assisted an agent from the Illinois State Police Division of Criminal Investigation in arresting Larry Joe Lucy, 36, of Logansport, Ind. The arrest was made without incident.

The fugitive warrant issued in Sacramento alleged Lucy was on parole in the attempted murder of a police officer.

Lucy denied having been in California or being on parole. A comparison with fingerprints sent from California positively identified Lucy as the individual sought, authorities said.

He was transferred to the Madison County Jail in Edwardsville by a state police officer.

1983 Cadillac stolen
McCoy's Auto Sales, 1501 Madison Avenue, reported Dec. 30 that a bronze four-door 1983 Cadillac Sedan De Ville had been stolen from the north end of its car lot.

Snow blower stolen
Loretta E. Tritsch of the 3200 block of Kilarney Drive reported Jan. 1 that someone had stolen a gas-powered snow blower valued at \$300 from her carport.

Van, garage burglarized
James Schwager of the 2300 block of O'Hare Street reported

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the morning of Jan. 1 that a burglar had broken into his van parked near his home and taken two tool boxes and assorted hand tools, an electric drill and a 100-foot extension cord. Later in the day he reported that the burglar had also broken into his garage and taken two baseball gloves valued at \$80, a soccer ball valued at \$35 and a volleyball valued at \$30.

Weapons charge filed
Steve Martin Wegrezn, 27, of East St. Louis, was arrested Jan. 1 and charged with unlawful use of a weapon. Police reported responding to a disturbance call in the 2500 block of Parkway and, while asking Wegrezn to leave, reportedly saw a nickel plated Smith and Wesson Model 36 revolver on the floorboard of his car.

Woman struck in nose
Larry Dean Turner Sr., 34, of the 1600 block of Kirkpatrick Homes was booked for battery at 8:15 p.m. Jan. 5 after he allegedly struck a woman in the nose with his fist.

Beth A. Whitehead, 24, of the 900 block of Kirkpatrick Homes sustained swelling and bleeding to the nose. She alleged being hit by Turner during an argument at his residence. Turner posted \$52 bail.

Big overhead door stolen

Five sections of a large overhead door, each section weighing about 50 pounds, were stolen from Koetting Ford Agency's new location at Illinois 3 and West Pontion Road, it was reported Jan. 5.

Dirk L. Williamson of Ballwin said he found that the insulated local sections were missing when he arrived to install the door.

Total value was \$750. The sections were on the floor in the northwest wing of the building.

Parked auto burglarized

A radar detector worth \$150 and two flashlights were taken in the burglary of an auto owned by Michael E. Williams of Hazelwood, parked in the 2200 block of Delmar Avenue on Jan. 5.

Cocaine warrant served

Following a routine traffic stop at 1:30 a.m. Jan. 8 at 26th Street and Madison Avenue, the driver of an auto was served a Stuart County, Fla., felony warrant charging him with possessing cocaine. William A. Lewis, 36, of the 2600 block of Sheridan Avenue also was booked on a local charge of driving without a valid registration.

Rollover crash hurts four

Four people were injured in a two-car rollover accident on Edwardsville Road at 12:33 a.m. Jan. 7.

Daryl E. Hahs, 16, of Sorento

was injured when his car rolled over and struck a stop sign after a collision with a car driven by Jennifer M. Papa, 25, of the 2400 block of Grand Avenue. Papa was taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

"Two passengers in Hahs' car, Danessa Fisk, 15, and Diana Fisk, 16, both of the 2500 block of Parkway Drive, were injured and taken to SEMC by Granite City ambulance.

Papa was driving north when Hahs, driving east on 13th Street, attempted to cross Edwardsville Road. Hahs was cited for failure to yield at an intersection. Papa was cited for having expired license plates.

Booked for two charges

Alan W. Jakul, 30, of the 1700 block of Poplar Street was arrested Jan. 7 and charged with disorderly conduct after he allegedly spit beer at his father and refused to leave the home when asked. Jakul allegedly stood outside the house shouting threats and profanity until police arrested him. At the station, he allegedly advanced on a police officer and was charged with assault.

Tool box, tools missing

Robert J. Gailbraith of the 1200 block of Meridian Street reported Jan. 7 that a burglar had broken into his home and taken a large metal tool box valued at \$100 and an assortment of hand tools valued at \$600.

Two pedestrians hit

GRANITE CITY — Two pedestrians struck by vehicles in separate crashes Jan. 5 suffered injuries and were taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Henrietta Schienschang, 73, of the 1300 block of West Pontion Road was hurt at 10:20 a.m. while walking north across Niedringhaus Avenue from the south corner at Delmar Avenue.

Witnesses said Schienschang was walking in a crosswalk and was about in the middle of the street when struck by an auto operated by Michael E. Bird, 35, of the 2400 block of East 25th Street, who was turning left onto Niedringhaus from southbound Delmar Avenue.

The impact knocked Schienschang to the pavement and

she was lying on her back in the roadway when police arrived.

Bird was charged with failure to yield the right-of-way to a pedestrian in a crosswalk.

Walter L. Hoskins, 51, of the 2300 block of East 25th Street was walking north across 18th Street at State Street when hit by a pickup truck operated by Scott A. Smith, 28, of the 3200 block of Maryville Road at 1:30 p.m. Jan. 5.

A witness said Hoskins was walking in the crosswalk.

Smith, who was driving a Metro East Sanitary District truck, told officers he was southbound on State and turned east onto 18th, failing to see the pedestrian due to sunlight obscuring his vision.

State to probe tourism bureau

By Ed Gurney
Staff writer

COLLINSVILLE — Representatives of the Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs visited offices of the Southwestern Illinois Tourism Bureau on Thursday to investigate allegations by the bureau's former administrative assistant.

State officials will meet this week to go over what was found, spokesman Lynn Morford said.

It was the first time the state agency acknowledged publicly that it is investigating allegations by Deborah Davis, who resigned from the High-land-based tourism bureau Dec. 8.

Davis contends there have been questionable spending practices at the bureau.

Linda Morris of the Illinois Office of Tourism, which is part of the DCCA, and two state auditors visited the bureau's offices.

Davis contends that she learned that an audit of the bureau's 1988-89 fiscal year pointed out possible financial mismanagement.

State officials said the audit will not be made public until it is officially accepted in several weeks.

Morris obtained articles published in the *Journal* outlining some of Davis' allegations.

Davis contends that no one is adequately checking to ensure that state and local tax funds are being spent wisely by the Southwestern tourism bureau, which was based in Collinsville until October.

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St. Clair County paces drug program in budget

By Rick Arnold
Staff writer

BELLEVILLE — St. Clair County Sheriff Meard Justus has received a big Christmas gift.

It appears the county board will fund all of Justus' \$155,794 drug program as part of the county's \$16.5 million 1990 budget.

The 1990 budget is a \$15.5 million increase over the 1989 budget, despite the presence of a \$10 million appropriation for the county's sponsorship of proposed joint civilian and military use at Scott Air Force Base, said County Administrator Dan Maher.

"That money's already available. It's been set aside," Maher said. He attributes the relatively small budget increase to frugal county spending.

"(County Board Chairman) Francis (Touchette) held the line on adding people to the county

payroll. When you do that, they're going to save money," said Maher, adding that the county will still be able to abate taxes next year, as it has done for the last several years.

Justus said he was pleased with the board's decision to fund the drug program.

"It is a problem, and I'm glad they responded to it," he said.

Justus appeared before the county board's Finance Committee during its budget hearings.

Over the past several years, the committee to recommend full funding of the program, titled "Partnership in the '90s."

"It's a problem here, in Illinois, in this country, and it's not going to go away," Justus said at the time.

The state's attorney's office and the county's probation department will also fund a portion of the drug program, which

is separate from the Sheriff Department's \$4.1 million budget.

"Partnership in the '90s" includes the following:

"Hiring of a drug enforcement officer, who would be provided with a car; a Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE) officer; an alcohol and drug counselor for County Jail inmates; and a special drug prosecutor, who would be based in the state's attorney's office."

"Testing of department employees and jail inmates."

"Installation of a drug 'hot line' and the creation of an employee assistance program for all county employees."

"Creation of a drug canine unit, where specially trained dogs will look for drugs."

The DARE officer will start immediately after the holidays, Justus said. But other program

components, most notably the inmate counselor and drug testing of inmates, will be on hold until the probation department learns whether it will receive a matching grant from the Illinois Criminal Information Authority.

The Sheriff's Department isn't the only county agency which will benefit from the county budget.

More money is also slated for the state's attorney, circuit clerk, and public defender offices, Maher said.

Circuit Clerk Barney Metz will get an additional staff person while State's Attorney John Barcic and Public Defender Clyde Kuehn will get more money to increase staff salaries.

Both Barcic and Kuehn had asked for more money for their lawyers when they went before the Finance Committee.

Motor Club offers cold-driving facts

If you are driving a long distance, the AAA-Chicago Motor Club suggests packing the following emergency supplies in your car:

1. Blankets and extra clothing, including socks, waterproof boots, coats and gloves.
2. Nonperishable high-calorie food, a container to melt snow into water, candles and waterproof matches.
3. A basic first aid kit containing bandages, scissors and any needed personal prescriptions.
4. A flashlight with extra batteries, flares or roadway reflectors.
5. A multipurpose dry chemical fire extinguisher.
6. An ice scraper, snow brush, rags and paper towels.
7. A shovel, traction mats or old rugs, tire chains and a bag of salt or sand.
8. Jumper cables, antifreeze and non-freeze windshield washer fluid.
9. A basic automotive tool kit.

3. A basic first aid kit containing bandages, scissors and any needed personal prescriptions.

DUI

Unlighted vehicle halted

Donald Pete Karpowicz, 32, of the 3300 block of Princeton Drive was arrested at 5:11 p.m. Jan. 6 and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol.

Karpowicz was arrested on Rock Road at Denver Street after police reported seeing him driving without headlights. He was also cited for driving without headlights and operating a vehicle without liability insurance.

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Big Brothers/Sisters meet

Children are waiting for a special friend, a Big Brother or a Big Sister. To find out more about the program, area residents can attend one of two informational meetings: Jan. 17, from 6:30-7:30 p.m. at Landmark Bank, 2850 Homer Adams Parkway, Alton, or Jan. 18 at Riggs Scout Service Center at 55 Harrison in Wood River from 7 to 8 p.m.

A brief slide presentation will be shown along with information about Big Brothers/Big Sisters. Applications will be available. Call Ann at 656-9067 for more information or to make a reservation.

Reunion of 1940 class slated

The June 1940 graduates of Granite City Community High School are planning a class reunion on Saturday, June 23, at Sunset Hills Country Club in Edwardsville.

The reunion committee is still in need of addresses for the following classmates: Ruth Gullie, Howard Jones, Betty Shafer, Billie Thompson Culpepper and Virginia Johnnesse Ziegler. If you have any information on the above-named classmates, contact Lois (Lux) Hollenbeck at 877-4352.

Latin America to be topic

Ambassadors, foreign ministers, media correspondents and university scholars of U.S./Latin American relations will confer March 1-3 at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

The three-day conference will cover a multitude of topics pertinent to Mexican, Central American, Cuban, Caribbean and U.S. relations.

The agenda will include the narcotics issue, prospects for democracy in Latin America, the impact of changes in Europe on the western hemisphere, ecology and the future of the rain forest, the economic crisis, inter-American media relations, religion and its impact on Latin American countries, and security issues for the 1990s.

Pre-registration will be accepted until Feb. 24. Additional information concerning the conference and available accommodations may be obtained by contacting Richard Millett, professor of historical studies at SIUE, or Kelly Fenton at 692-2414.

Miss Teen pageant in May

Applications are now being accepted for the 1990 Miss Illinois Teen-USA Pageant, the preliminary to the nationally televised Miss Teen USA Pageant.

The Miss Teen USA Pageant will be staged in July by Miss Universe Inc., the producer of Miss USA, Miss Universe and Miss Teen USA Pageants, all nationally televised live over CBS.

Cash and prizes worth more than \$150,000 are available. The Illinois Pageant will be held in the Grand Ballroom of the Woodfield Hilton Hotel on May 4-5-6.

There is no performing "talent" requirement. All judging is based on poise, personality and beauty of face and figure.

Girls from all over Illinois between 15 and 19 years of age who wish further information may write to: Miss Illinois Teen-USA, Pageant Headquarters, Dept. NA, 444 West Galena Blvd., Suite A, Aurora, Ill. 60506, or phone (708) 896-9838, or toll-free 1-800-22-IL-USA.

Letters must include two recent snapshots: one face shot and one full-body shot in a swimsuit or shorts. Also required in the letter are a brief biography which includes date of birth and home phone number.

Humane Society has fund drive

The Madison County Humane Society began its first annual membership drive on Jan. 1. The drive will run to March 1.

The Humane Society receives no government funding and is solely supported by donations. In 1989, the Humane Society placed more than 800 homeless animals.

Membership fees are \$5 (students and senior citizen), \$10 (individual), \$15 (family), \$50 (sustaining), \$100 (patron) and \$300 (lifetime).

The Humane Society holds its meetings on the first Thursday of every month at the Madison Mutual Building on Illinois 157, Edwardsville. Volunteers are needed for the fund-raising, humane education and abuse-and-neglect committees.

Checks may be sent to the Madison County Humane Society, P.O. Box 1, Edwardsville, Ill. 62025. The membership drive chairman is Andi Prose, 345-9248.

December births

GRANITE CITY — The vital statistics for December 1989 reported by City Clerk Robert Stevens are:

Births — 70
Deaths — 44
Two fetal deaths were reported.

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Surprise: Power use set record

GRANITE CITY — Illinois Power customers used electricity at unprecedented winter levels during December 1989, breaking the previous winter peak demand record five times in an eight-day stretch.

Sub-zero temperatures also drove up customer demand for natural gas to heat homes and to power industry.

Gas usage for December rose sharply compared to the same period in 1988, including the third-highest daily usage figure ever recorded by Illinois Power customers — 790 million cubic feet on Dec. 21.

Customers used 13.3 billion cubic feet of gas through Dec. 25, 43 percent more than during the same period a year ago.

"With the Clinton Power Station operating at 100 percent power and all of our fossil-fuel plants on-line, we've been able to accommodate the record demand for electricity," said Paul Lang, vice president responsible for service area operations at Illinois Power.

"Although the temperatures were unusually cold for December, we have been able to meet the needs of all of our firm customers. That should be the case through the rest of the winter," Lang said.

Depending on the billing cycle, the increase in consumption by customers may have already appeared on some customer bills and could continue to affect bills through late January.

Customers who may have difficulty paying their winter energy bills may consider the utility's Budget Billing program as a method to prevent payment and value in billing.

Illinois Power's 550,000 electric customers set a record for peak demand during the winter season of 2,950 megawatts on Dec. 15, and then shattered that mark six days later with a peak demand of 3,081 megawatts between 6 and 7 p.m.

The winter peak demand record prior to this month — 2,776 megawatts, established Feb. 6, 1989 — was surpassed five times between Dec. 15 and Dec. 22.

Customers also broke the winter record for daily electric consumption Dec. 21, using 65.1 million kilowatt-hours of electricity.

Significant demand for natural gas by Illinois Power's 35,000 gas customers came at a time when the natural gas market was tight.

Cold temperatures in the Gulf states

squeezed the gas market even more. And gas purchased on the spot market, which normally accounts for between 10 and 30 percent of Illinois Power's gas supply, was unavailable from some pipeline companies for three days.

"You don't usually have the extreme cold temperatures over a prolonged period as we have had this December," said David Strick, supervisor of gas acquisition at Illinois Power.

"Because it got very cold in the South, excess gas from that area that normally would have been available on the spot market was instead used by customers there."

The number of heating degree days, which measure the severity of the winter, was significantly higher through the first 25 days of December than during the same period in 1988. There were 1,278 heating degree days last month, compared to 871 in December 1988 and 943 for an "average" December.

Degree days are calculated by subtracting the mean temperature for a day from 65 degrees. Each degree below 65 represents a heating degree day.

Pollution prevention nominees sought

CHAMPAIGN — Applications are being accepted for the governor's fourth annual "Pollution Prevention Awards" by the Illinois Hazardous Waste Research and Information Center.

The center is a division of the Illinois Department of Energy and Natural Resources (ENR).

"Pollution Prevention Award winners set an important example for waste reduction that businesses and others throughout the

state can follow," Gov. James R. Thompson said. "I encourage any company, organization or institution that has made strides to reduce waste in Illinois to apply."

Awards are presented in four categories: large business (100 or more employees), small business (99 or fewer employees), community organizations, and educational institutions.

The awards are presented to Illinois generators of waste who have significantly

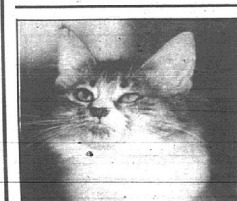
reduced the amount of hazardous and solid waste they produce.

Applicants are asked to submit an application and a detailed description of their waste reduction programs.

To request an application form, HWRIC at (217) 333-8840 can be contacted. Any questions about the awards should be directed to Alisa Wickliff. The application deadline is Feb. 28, 1990.

Award winners will be announced in April.

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Questions on new car insurance

With the state's mandatory auto liability insurance law now in effect, the Illinois Department of Insurance is offering some advice to first-time insurance consumers.

"Buying insurance is really no different than making any other major purchase," said Insurance Director Zack Stamp.

"The key is finding the best value for your money. The best way to do that is to obtain price quotes from several insurance companies before you make a final decision."

The mandatory insurance law requires all Illinois motor vehicle owners to carry liability insurance at minimum levels of \$20,000 for injury or death of one person in an accident; \$40,000 for injury or death of more than one person in an accident; and \$15,000 for damage to property of another person.

Motorists who fail to buy the insurance are subject to fines and suspension of their license plates.

As a general rule, auto insurance rates are set for classes of drivers, based on the driving behavior of the group as a whole. Among the factors that influence the cost of insurance

are:

•Age — Statistics show that teen-agers are more likely to have accidents than are adults.

•Sex — Male drivers under age 25 are usually rated for higher costs than female drivers.

•Marital status — Single drivers usually pay higher premiums than married drivers.

•Residence — Persons who live in heavily populated cities, usually pay more than those who live in small towns or rural areas.

•Driving record — Most companies charge higher premiums for accidents or traffic violations.

•Type of car — Expensive, high-performance or sports cars usually cost more to insure.

Stamp said that although the general classifications insure use to set rates may be beyond the consumer's control, there are some additional ways to reduce the cost of one's auto

insurance without giving up the necessary protection:

•Maintain a good driving record. Moving violations and accidents usually result in higher premiums.

•Take the highest deductible you can afford. Insurance should protect you from major losses. It may be to your advantage to pay small claims out of your own pocket.

•Consider the age and condition of your vehicle. Some coverages may not be practical or cost-efficient for an older car.

•Make certain your company calculates your annual mileage correctly. Fewer miles mean lower premiums.

•Ask about discounts. Among the discounts commonly offered are: good student; multiple car; compact car; non-smoker; non-drinker; anti-theft device; and over age 55 if a defensive driving course has been successfully completed.

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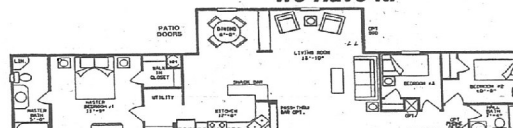
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ACCEPTED INTO MEMBERSHIP of Eagles Aerie 1126 are: front row, from left, Shipely Thomas, Earnest Green, Timothy Vandaveer and Tony Crow; back row, Glen Valle, Tom Holloway, William Coyle, James Ribely and Jerry Cottrell.

Eagles Aerie initiates 18 new members

Eagles Aerie 1126, Granite City, held an initiation ceremony in December for new members.

Those initiated were: Ken Johnson, Rich Ederle, Larry Rutts, Buzz Morris, Michael Garland, Allen Bridgeman, Robert Bozworth, James Jeffries, Billy Thomason, Shipely Thomas, Earnest Green, Timothy Vandaveer, Tony Crow, Glen

Valle, Tom Holloway, William Coyle, James Ribely and Jerry Cottrell.

Officers conducting the ceremony were: president, Ken Spencer; junior past president, Don Horn; vice president, Jim Shepard; chaplain, Chuck Stokes; conductor, John Halwachs; inside guard, Dave Davis; secretary, John Aubu-



NEWEST EAGLES of Aerie 1126 inducted during the December meeting of the Aerie are: front row, from left, Ken Johnson, Rich Ederle, Larry Rutter and Buzz Morris; back row, Michael Garland, Allen Bridgeman, Robert Bozworth, James Jeffries and Billy Thomason.

chon; treasurer, Bob Sanders; and trustee, Randy Odom.

Members of the interviewing committee included Charles Wise and Bill Hemken.

Reports were given by Odom, Aubuchon, Sanders, Sick and Visiting Chairman Lou Tourse and Membership Chairman Shepard. Spencer presided over the

meeting, and Halwachs presented the American Flag, Bible and the Eagle emblem.

Members discussed the expected State Presidents visit by Chris W. Kubatzke Jr. of Freeport and Sharon De Heve of Springfield in January.

Spencer closed the meeting following the closing ceremony by Stokes, Shepard and Horn.

Junior Service gives \$100 prize

Kathy Dohnal covers the Madison-Venice scene for the Press/Record Journal. She can be contacted at 877-1056.

The Madison Junior Service Club held its Christmas party at The Den Restaurant on Dec. 12. A buffet was served and gifts were exchanged.

Winner of the \$100 worth of groceries or cash was Ted Langust of Belleville. Ticket was sold by Carla Voloski. The 50/50 winner was DeLoyce Rhoads. Evening prayer was given by past president, Jean Kostenski.

The club's sponsor, Lillian Delp, presented all the members with an ornament. Fellowship was enjoyed by the following members and guests who were present: Sally Bosworth, Sondra Pumphrey, Billie Bosworth, Carla Voloski, Teresa Rhoads, Gerry Mendez, Grace Ford, June Reynolds, Toni Sbabo, Debbie Dillon, Marcella Obranovich, De Loyce Rhoads, Donna Fouts, Donna Dorris, Mary Moore, Irene Orr, Karen Kaminski, Mary Anna Kaminski, Lillian Brokaw, Roberta Crawford, Carol Smith, Cindy Hogan, Barb Vrabec, Dorothy Hatfield, Christine Hatfield, Charlene Voloski-Turley, Gerrie Ashford, Jean Kostenski, Lillian Delp and Donna Hoover.

On Tuesday, Dec. 19, all the members of the Christmas Bazaar committee met at Shop 'n' Save to deliver baskets to the needy families for Christmas. The theme for the Jan. 9 meeting will be a salad luncheon



Kathy Dohnal

and a silent auction.

The Madison Junior Service Club Board Members had their Christmas Party on Dec. 17, 1989, at the Home of the President Debbie Dillon, who prepared a meal of chicken croquette. Side dishes were furnished by the board members. Gifts were exchanged and the president presented all her board members with a gift.

The Secular Order of Franciscans of St. Mary's Parish held their annual Christmas Party Dec. 17, at Engelbert hall.

Those present were Sr. Bernadette, Sr. Joan, St. Mary John. Pastor Father James Keefner and Father Casey from Holy Family. Kathryn Bithorick, Annelise Gyrmatt, Louise Gunn, Dorothy Hoedebeck, Katherine Morris, Stephanie Myraki, Klotie Mosby, Louis and Mary Mehelec, Florence Powers, Melodi Rayl, Verna Thomas, Ed Huckla, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tourse, Mary Krojnovich, Bea Stenzler, Mary Rozoyce, Rena Dillon and Mildred Zhivovch.

Next meeting will be Jan. 21, at 1:30.

Dorcas members study promises

The Dorcas Group held its December meeting at the home of Myra Parrish. Nine members were present.

Mary Lu Lurton, president of C.F.W., attended as a guest of the group.

Beth Spengler led a study on covenants and promises, focus-

ing on Abraham, Ruth and the Prodigal Son. She related the lesson to today's concerns about the homeless and ways to help children. Each member took a stone and wrote a personal covenant on the stone.

Christmas gifts were delivered to local nursing homes.

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Holidays provide setting for family reunions

Maxine Green covers the Granite City and Nameoki Township area for the Press-Record Journal. She can be contacted at 931-6256.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley (Lorraine) Jarmann of Huron, South Dakota, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Gene (Doris) Ross. The Jarmanns are now vacationing at Myrtle Beach, S.C.

Mildred Diefenhard has had holiday guests, her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo (Jane) Diefenhard and daughters, Vickie and Molly and Christian Jackson of Appleton, Wis.

While here, they also visited Jane Diefenhard's mother, Martha Pulliam and family.

The Nameoki United Methodist Women held its December meeting recently at the church, hosted by Alma Cowan and Luan Brinner.

Lois Holsinger had charge of the program titled, "Therefore Rejoice," with all the women participating. A devotional was given by Dorothy Luckert and President Helen Bishoff called the meeting to order.

Phyllis Whitehead read the minutes and LuAnn Brinner gave the treasury report. New officers will be installed on Jan. 14 at the church.

A vote was made and accepted to investigate needed resources of children and help them to be met. The meeting was closed with prayer by Millie Clements.

Refreshments were served to Dorothy Ashford, Matilda York, Diane Baker, Mary Benson, Corrine Dawson, Mary Bailey, Fern Gieselman and Alta Stewart.

The women packed fruit baskets and cookies to be taken to shut-ins.

The Ladies Pinocchio Club held its Christmas meeting at the Den Restaurant.

In attendance were: Doris Ross, Louise Pitman, Norma Vail, Norma Minane, Sherry Mathews and children, Misty and William Black.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Doris Ross on Jan. 10.

The last meeting was held at the home of Louise Pitman, not at the home of Donna Hacke, as previously reported.



Maxine Green

The Granite City High School Band gave a "Musical Memories" concert Dec. 14 under director Dennis E. Meyer and assistant, Norbert Tate.

Songs performed by the band were: "Liberty Fanfare," "First Suite in E-Flat," "Ye Banks and Braes O' Bonnie Doon," "Nobles of the Mystic Shrine," "A Christmas Festival," "The Toy Shop" and "Sleigh Ride."

Band members for 1989-90 are: Flutes, Kim Annable, Tricia Brinkhoff, Ann Kirkpatrick, Lisa

Lewis, Rosa Lucas, Ruth Manthel, Julia Melich, Ann Mitchell, Mary Mitchell, Jeannette Richardson, Julie Simon, Sarah Stone, Pam Voss and Amy Wigger; oboes, Brittigan Modglin and Michelle Schaefer; bassoons, Stacie Ahlers and Dianne Oliver.

Also, E-flat clarinet, Angela Alexander; clarinets, JoAnn Buxton, Donna Delaty, Allison Dumoulin, Cheryl Forbes, Jennifer Heil, Ann Joyce, Stephanie Lucash, Bethany McGinness, Stacey Mertz, Chris Moulton, Heather Nail, Amie Parker, Patty Webb and Brian Welsler; bass clarinet, Cara Embick and Craig Leavell, alto saxes, Mike Davis, Kristi Reed, Jenni Simon and Laura Zeissel.

Tenor saxes, Drew Johnson, Rachael Parrish and Joe Yurko; baritone, Regan Hildebrand; trumpets, Nathan Branding, Matt Cauble, Mike Clark, Kris

Davis, Kerin Duppelle, David Felding, Brian Johnson, Bill Lenzi, John McGinness, Jim Morgan, Jeff Reedy, David Rosales, Kathy Schmiedake, Tom Schmiedake, Todd Utz and Jennifer Wheeler; tubas, Mark Harper, James Holmes, Robert McGuire and Dale Newberry.

Baritone, Jason Brown, Amos Laneam and Chris McMullan; tubas, Mike Corrado, Rob Jaycox, Dan Kirkpatrick and Andy Lalor; percussion, Justin Brown, Jason Birkhead, Willy Dimmitt, Bill Ellis, Patti Meyer, Dan Pearson, Jeremy Reuter, Katie Ribbing, John Viesman and Terry Yohy and mallets, Kim Schneck and Krista Sullivan.

Other concerts are set March

8 and May 15 at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kries of Gainesville, Fla., returned home recently after visiting his cousin, Bertie Weise and her daughter, Mary Ferguson and her daughter, Heather, on Angela Drive.

While here they also visited his son, David Kries of Troy.

Two years ago, St. Elizabeth Catholic Church began selling benefit raffle calendars to raise money for church building repairs. 1990 calendars are on sale.

The next Baptist Class at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church will be held Jan. 21 at 2 p.m. in the Quilling Room.

Parents wishing to have their child baptized between January and March should call the Parish office to register.

On Christmas Day, Lottie Ostresh had all of her children at home for a family reunion.

The family hasn't been together for nine years.

Visiting from Manchester, N.H., was her son, Richard, his wife and son, Jason; daughter, Janice, and husband, Major Richard Laskey and daughter, Heather; son, Michael Ostresh; son, Thomas Ostresh, and his wife, Robin, and daughters, Erin, twins Lindsey and April; daughter Judy and husband Frank Modrusic; Mr. and Mrs. Joe (Cindy) Szczepaniak; and Mrs. Clint (Cheryl) Laughlin and daughter, Cally; Mrs. June Nunneley; Mrs. Jennie Helinger; Mrs. Wilma Ostresh; Mr. and Mrs. Harry (Mary) Rodgers; Jim Ashley; and John Measki Jr.

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The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) recently completed its review of a feasibility study prepared for the NL Industries/Taracorp Lead Smelter Superfund site in Granite City, IL. The study evaluated cleanup alternatives for addressing contamination at the site.

U.S. EPA has identified several areas at and near the site that are contaminated, and may expose the community to lead through direct contact or inhalation of contaminated soil and dust. These areas include:

- A pile on the site used to store wastes from lead processing operations (Taracorp pile)
- A waste pile of battery case materials adjacent to the site (St. Louis Lead Recyclers (SLLR) piles)
- Two areas (The Venice Township Alleys and Eagle Park Acres) where battery case material containing lead were used for fill and alley-paving
- Industrial soils on the adjacent Trust 454 and Tri-City Trucking Properties (Area 1)
- Residential soils near the site which are contaminated with lead (Areas 2 through 8)
- 25-35 drums on the surface of the Taracorp pile that contain lead wastes

The feasibility study evaluated cleanup alternatives and assessed each alternative on its effectiveness in protecting public health and the environment, technical feasibility, and cost. U.S. EPA considered the following alternatives:

Alternative A: No Action
Monitoring: air quality monitoring; ground-water monitoring; additional deep wells.

Alternative B
Taracorp Pile: multimedia cap; institutional controls
Taracorp Drums: off-site recovery at secondary lead smelter
SLLR Piles: excavate and consolidate with Taracorp pile
Venice Alleys: excavate case material and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Eagle Park Acres: excavate case material and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 1 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 2 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 3 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Monitoring: air and ground-water monitoring; additional deep wells; contingency plans

Alternative C
Alternative C is nearly identical to Alternative D, and therefore has been excluded from further consideration

Alternative D
Taracorp Pile: multimedia cap; institutional controls
Taracorp Drums: off-site recovery at secondary lead smelter
SLLR Piles: excavate and consolidate with Taracorp pile
Venice Alleys: excavate case material and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Eagle Park Acres: excavate case material and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 1 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 2 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 3 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Monitoring: air and ground-water monitoring; additional deep wells; contingency plans

Alternative E
Taracorp Pile: multimedia cap; supplemental liner; institutional controls
Taracorp Drums: off-site recovery at secondary lead smelter
SLLR Piles: excavate and consolidate with Taracorp pile
Venice Alleys: excavate case material and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Eagle Park Acres: excavate case material and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 1 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 2 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 3 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Monitoring: air and ground-water monitoring; additional deep wells; contingency plans

Alternative F
Taracorp Pile: multimedia cap; supplemental liner; recovery of plastic battery case materials and lead; institutional controls
Taracorp Drums: off-site recovery at secondary lead smelter
SLLR Piles: excavate and consolidate with Taracorp pile
Venice Alleys: excavate case material and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Eagle Park Acres: excavate case material and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 1 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 2 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 3 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Monitoring: air and ground-water monitoring; additional deep wells; contingency plans

Alternative G
Taracorp Pile: recovery of plastic battery case material and lead; disposal of residuals in RCRA landfill
Taracorp Drums: off-site recovery at secondary lead smelter
SLLR Piles: disposal in RCRA landfill
Venice Alleys: excavate case material; disposal in RCRA landfill; restore surfaces
Eagle Park Acres: excavate case material; disposal in RCRA landfill; restore surfaces
Area 1 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate and restore; disposal in RCRA landfill
Area 2 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate and restore; disposal in RCRA landfill
Area 3 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate and restore; disposal in RCRA landfill
Monitoring: air and ground-water monitoring; additional deep wells; contingency plans

Alternative H
Taracorp Pile: multimedia cap; institutional controls
Taracorp Drums: off-site recovery at secondary lead smelter
SLLR Piles: excavate and consolidate with Taracorp pile
Venice Alleys: excavate case material and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Eagle Park Acres: excavate case material and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
Area 1 Unpaved Surfaces: excavate soil and consolidate with Taracorp pile; restore surfaces
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U.S. EPA proposes Alternative H as the remedy for contamination at the site. U.S. EPA believes this alternative will protect human health and the environment, will comply with all applicable state and federal regulations, reduce contaminant movement, and will be cost-effective.

The feasibility study, proposed plan, and other site-related documents are available for review at the Granite City Public Library, 2001 Delmar Avenue, Granite City, IL 62040.

Before making a final decision, U.S. EPA will consider oral and written comments on all cleanup alternatives and the proposed plan from January 10 to February 24, 1990. Oral comments on the proposed plan may be submitted at the following public meeting:

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Written comments must be postmarked by February 24, 1990, and sent to MaryAnn Croce LaFaire, Office of Public Affairs (EPA-14), U.S. EPA Region 5, 230 S. Dearborn St., Chicago, IL 60604.

Revenue sharing loss partly offset by states

By Anne Hazard
Staff writer

WASHINGTON — States have significantly increased aid to local governments as federal assistance to towns, cities and counties has fallen off.

This conclusion is based on a study released Jan. 4 by the National Association of State Budget Officers.

While Missouri's aid to local governments increased at an above-average rate between 1982 and 1988, Illinois was below average.

Overall, states gave local governments \$14.6 billion in 1988, an increase of 61.9 percent from 1982. The average annual growth

in such assistance was 8.4 percent, according to the study.

State aid to local governments is increasing even faster than overall state spending, despite mandated expansions in health care and other programs that have put heavy financial pressure on state budgets," said Gerald Miller, executive director of the state budget officers' group.

In Missouri, state aid to local governments grew 110.9 percent during the period, compared to general fund expenditures' 68.5 percent growth. The annual growth in assistance was 13.24 percent.

That rise did not include over \$1 million Missouri spent taking

over St. Louis County's Probation and Parole Services.

In Illinois, local governments received 38.1 percent more in state aid in 1988 than they did in 1982, compared to an increase of 39.3 percent in general fund expenditures by the state. The annual rise in aid was 5.5 percent.

Economists unsettled on forecast

Inflation will remain above 4 percent through the mid-1990s, says Robert Barr, manager of economic analysis for Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.

"Inflation has not come down all that much," he says, noting that the consumer price index advanced 4.9 percent in 1989, up from 4.1 percent hike in 1988.

Barr forecasts 4.5 percent inflation in 1990. "A 4 percent inflation (rate) is still very high; we should not feel comfortable with 4 percent inflation," he says, adding it was 4 percent inflation that led President Richard Nixon to impose wage and price controls in 1971. "We don't see slowing in it that we'd like to see."

Barr sees inflation rates of 4.2 percent in 1991, 4.4 percent in 1992, and 4.3 the next two years.

Rachel Balbach, of Boatmen's National Bank, disagrees with Barr's price forecast for 1990. Citing the Federal Reserve Board's anti-inflation policies, "I think we can easily get below 4 percent (this) year," she says.

The good news in Barr's 1990 forecast is falling interest rates. He predicts the prime rate will drop from the current average of 10.8 percent to about 9.8 percent at the end of the year.

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ter, Diane Kee, and her husband, Jeff, and children, Joshua, Jessica and Jamie on Myrtle Avenue. They were joined by their son, Chris Miller.

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The Jensens returned home on New Year's Day.

Lou Hall of Murphy Lane had a holiday visit from her daughter, Marilyn Hurd and her husband, John, and their daughter, Melanie, of Fisher, Ill.

The Hurd's spent the night, had breakfast, and exchanged gifts at the Hall home. Later they visited Mrs. Hurd's daughter.

Insurance alternatives available for uninsurable

By Carolyn Schmidt
Staff writer

Illinois residents who are turned down for insurance or who are on public aid employment programs have some insurance alternatives.

One is the Illinois Automobile Insurance Plan. The plan is commonly used by people who are turned down for insurance by private companies because of poor driving records.

But Richard Carson, manager of the agency's regional office, said the plan also is used by people who have clean driving records and have no previous insurance.

People who go into the plan are either denied insurance or can get insurance at a lower rate under the plan than what private companies offer, he said.

The IAI offers the only insurance plan in Illinois regulated by the Illinois Department of Insurance. The agency does not offer insurance policies to customers, but assigns policies to a pool of insurance companies at uniform state rates.

The plan then assigns a policy to a local insurance company using rates set under the plan.

If some cases a customer may be sent back to a company that has denied the person insurance, Carson said. Under Illinois

statutes, when an insurance company is licensed, it must agree to take a certain portion of customers from the insurance plan, he said.

"We want to get the message out that the state of Illinois does provide a market for those who want insurance," Carson said.

Under the plan's rates, a 25-year-old single male driver who has been uninsured would pay \$70 on one automobile liability policy. The same individual who has a criminal driving record would pay \$1,445 for a policy, Carson said.

The rates offered under the plan may be higher than the rates of some insurance companies, but lower than rates of companies that contract with other companies to write their high-risk policies.

"We realize that some insurance companies may lose money at the rate we offer them or in some situations they may make money," Carson said.

The Illinois Department of Public Aid will temporarily subsidize some auto insurance expenses to clients on job training programs.

The department will pay the company the amount of a one-month premium. The department will pay only once.

Holiday provides setting for birthday celebration

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Simon happy with outcome in Panama

By Edward T. Hearn
Staff writer

WASHINGTON—U.S. Sen. Paul Simon, a declared opponent of U.S. military action in Panama up until last month's invasion, Thursday hailed the surrender of Panamanian strongman Manuel Noriega as "an end of an ordeal."

Simon's recent support for the U.S. military moves that led to Noriega's capture marked a 180-degree shift in Simon's views on U.S. policy toward the Central American nation.

The Illinois Democrat said as recently as October that the U.S. should avoid a display of military power in Panama because it would contribute to a wide impression that the U.S. was "a bully and an exploiter."

But after President George Bush ordered more than 24,000 troops into Panama to topple Noriega, Simon shed his old position and offered nearly unqualified support for the invasion that culminated Jan. 3 with Noriega's surrender to the United States for trial.

"It's a satisfying end to a difficult standoff. And it's the end of an ordeal both for the people of Panama and the people of the United States," Simon said in a prepared statement Jan. 4.

U.S. Sen. Alan Dixon, D-Ill., issued a terse 17-word statement the morning of the Panama invasion saying it was his responsibility to support President Bush.

Two weeks later, with Noriega sitting in a Miami jail, Dixon said it was "truly a great" development, and took credit for being a Senate supporter for using the military to fight the drug war.

"I led the fight in the Senate to use our military for drug interdiction and I think it's clear that use of the military is one of the ways we can be effective in our war against drugs," Dixon said.

Noriega, wanted on federal drug trafficking charges since May 1988, took refuge in the Vatica-

can Embassy in Panama City after the invasion. Two weeks later, he gave up hope of political asylum and surrendered to U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration agents.

"Now Panama can move confidently ahead in building its future, and Noriega can be brought to justice. It also means we can move the timetable for bringing our troops home," Simon said.

Simon ruled out the use of force in Panama after Noriega annulled the results of the May 1989 democratic election and unleashed his so-called "Dignity Battalions" to assault the winning candidates on the streets of Panama City in a bloody display of brute force.

Simon's comments in October also came after the Bush Administration stumbled in the coup attempt that allowed the dictator to outfox his plotters and solidify his grip on the country.

During Senate debate, Simon said he urged restraint because military action in Panama would signal to Latin America that the U.S. is "a bully and an exploiter."

Regarding the fate of Noriega, Simon added that the country's leadership was the choice of Panamanians, not the U.S.

"What we ought to do is let the people of Panama make that decision, make clear we are on the side of human rights, but also make clear that we are not going to interfere in their process," Simon said on the Senate floor on Oct. 6.

Asked to comment on Simon's votes on Panama and related declarations, his press secretary David Carle said the seizure of Noriega wasn't a valid rationale to invade Panama.

"(Simon) would not have supported the invasion solely for the purpose of seizing Noriega. It would not have been a valid reason for invading another country, but protecting American lives is," Carle said in an interview.

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Gov. James R. Thompson said 7,350 local temporary jobs resulted from the year's filmmaking.

Some of the 11 feature films shot here in 1989 included "The Package," starring Gene Hackman and directed by former Chicagoan Andy Davis; John Hughes' "Uncle Buck," starring John Candy; the Costa-Gavras film opening in January, "Music Box"; and "Opportunity Knocks" for Imagine Films due for release in the spring of 1990.

Television movies included "Taking the Case for Murder: The Howard Beach Story" and "A Road Not Taken: The Mary Thomas Story."

Other television projects included episodes of the NBC soap opera "Generations," the ABC-TV sitcom "Anything But Love" and the NBC-TV "Late Night With David Letterman," at the Chicago Theater.

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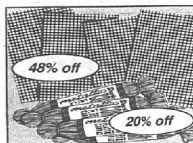
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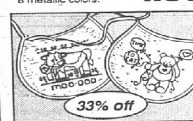
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Sports

•Devils

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seemed intent on scoring 100 points, but got off to a slow start in the fourth quarter and couldn't quite make it.

"Our goal was to hold them under 60, but a slowdown style is not our game," said Schoedel. "We needed to get the ball up the court before they could set up their press. We rebounded pretty well, but they were scoring so often that they were able to set up the press."

"We were only down by 13 at halftime, but we just didn't come back to meet the pass and they opened it up. We knew they were going for 100 points and we didn't want that to happen."

"We can't slack up when we get a big lead," said Harris. "But we played everybody tonight because we have some tough games coming up. We've gotten ranked in the polls and I wish we weren't ranked so high. I don't want the players getting big heads."

Sophomore Ivan Johnson and White joined Claggett and Doug Johnson in double figures, while Reno Mosby had a season-high nine points. Nine Red Devils dented the scoresheet. Venice played at Waterloo Gibraltar on Tuesday and then travels to Alton on Saturday.

Marc Meschke led the Knights with 19 points and 11 rebounds while Donnie Martin added 18. MELH plays Freeburg on Friday.

•St. Charles

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the first period and that hurt."

Schappert won 5-4. "The Warriors got thirds from sophomore Jeff Heuschman (1-6) at 140, sophomore Scott Wilson (3-4) at 150, sophomore Russ Buchek (4-7) at 160 and sophomore Al Willard (6-16) at 220."

"Buchek has a lot of talent, and it's just a matter of it showing," said Garland. "And this will really help Willard. He's going against kids older and a lot heavier. But he's starting to wrestle the way we want him to."

Fourth went to freshman Jason Moorelin (2-21) at 112 and senior Todd Hutchison (15-9) at 125.

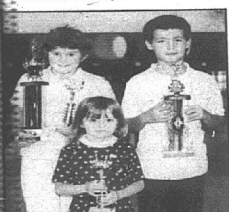
"Jason has been a pleasant surprise," said Garland. "He had three overtime matches Saturday and really competed hard. Todd didn't get seeded and had to wrestle the best 125-pounder there."

Hutchison beat Maplewood's Kevin Watkins 6-4 in overtime in the first round, but dropped a 3-2 decision to Watkins in the third-place match.

"It was all those seconds and thirds that won the tournament for us," said Garland. "Our schedule doesn't get any easier. We've got the Hazelwood quad Friday and then Francis Howell on Saturday. I don't think we've ever beaten Francis Howell."

Garland said senior Chris Hamlin (10-3 at 13), out with a bad back since Christmas, returned to practice this week and might try to wrestle at 119 pounds. Sophomore Doug Norton (7-2 at 125) has quit the team.

The Hazelwood Central quad begins at 4 p.m. Friday. The Warriors host Francis Howell at 10 a.m. Saturday.



CLOCKWISE from top left are Theresa Dames, Joey Byrd and Sara Rinehart.

3 from Bowland receive trophies

Bowland Lanes of Granite City had three winners in the Greater St. Louis Singles and Doubles Tournament at Four Seasons Bowling Center in Chesterfield, Mo., on Nov. 12.

Joey Byrd, 9, took first place in the doubles event in the Class A Division. Byrd is in fourth grade at St. Elizabeth and is the son of Richard and Shirley Byrd. He rolled a 129, 137 and 128 for a 394 series.

Theresa Dames, 10, took second in the singles and was awarded a trophy for rolling 50 pins over average. Dames is in fifth grade at Mitchell School. Donna Dames, 10, rolled a 177, 167 and 163 for a 507 series. Her series for the day was 1288 including handicap.

Sara Rinehart, 6, bowled a 117 game and was awarded a 50 pins over average trophy. She is the daughter of Jeanette McCunney.

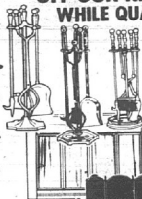
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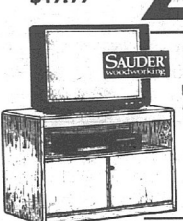


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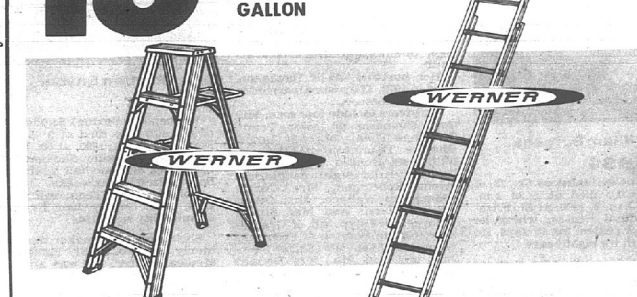
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Rockwoods to offer nature experiences

By Pamela Selbert
Staff writer

Nature lovers—especially those fond of nature in winter—will enjoy two upcoming programs planned at Rockwoods Reservation in Eureka.

"Wildflowers in Winter" will be presented from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Jan. 13; "Meet Missouri's Birds" will be presented from 10:30 a.m. to noon Jan. 20.

For the "Wildflowers" show, naturalist Alyce Hildebrandt will take visitors on a 30-minute walk near Rockwoods' education building in search of interesting plants that might show their faces through the snow. Hildebrandt will bring laminated specimens of plants native to this area to aid in identification. Visitors will see dried remains of summer's goldenrod, Queen Anne's lace, milk weed and others.

"I like to think of these plants as skeletons showing remnants of the beauties the flowers once possessed," Hildebrandt said. "And on a rainy day, they can still be beautiful with frost, when they're turned a graceful silvery white."

Hildebrandt said plants cannot be collected at Rockwoods. But she has collected many species of dried plants elsewhere.

After the walk, visitors will return to the education building to make their own dried plant arrangement. Each person will be given a flower pot containing "oases"—such as soft Styrofoam—that will hold plants upright, Hildebrandt said. Visitors will select from Queen Anne's lace, yellow or white yarrow, blue chicory, asters and a variety of dried grasses such as timothy, Bermuda and fox tail, to make their arrangements.

Following the program, visitors can enjoy other wildlife exhibits on display at the education building.

Naturalists Carol and Art Oppenheim will introduce mounted specimens of birds commonly seen in the area during "Meet Missouri's Birds." Many of them are on loan from St. Louis Science Center.

The Oppenheims will talk briefly about each bird; which

birds are bossy, which ones are shy, what types of nests they build, what they do in winter for protection against the cold.

"Missouri has many types of birds that stay here all year and a few that migrate here from farther north," Carol Oppenheim said. "Perhaps the largest family of birds to stay around all year are the woodpeckers."

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New Swissair PR head influenced by St. Louis

By Deborah Reinhardt
Travel editor

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Felix attended University City High in 1970-71 through an American Field Service (AFS) program. AFS arranges student exchanges. He graduated from high school in 1972 in Switzerland.

His time in the United States influenced his life in a positive way, Felix said.

"I thought going to the states and living with an American family would be a great experience," he said. "I heard about it (AFS) on Swiss radio. Returnees were talking about the experience."

Going to school in the St. Louis area was different from his hometown, Winterthur, Switzerland.

"First of all, it was the whole day," he said. "In Switzerland, you have just sometimes half a day and sometimes, you're there from 7 (a.m.) to 5 (p.m.). In Switzerland, school is more the place where you go and learn but in the states, school is kind of your love," he said.

Felix did not choose St. Louis; AFS picked the city for him, but he lived with the Gene Schweig family in University City. Felix still keeps in touch with them.

Just as Felix the teen faced the unknown of living in the United States, as a Swissair official he will meet unidentified changes as Europe approaches an era of air deregulation.

In 1992, European air carriers faces "liberalization," or deregulation, and the transition will not be easy. But Felix said Swissair will survive. The airline is negotiating now with members of the European Community (EC), a political organization, for traffic rights. Although Switzerland is not a member of the EC, Felix said Swissair is working to attain the same status in negotiations as EC countries.

The effect of the upcoming liberalization on American travel consumers is difficult to identify,

Felix said, because 50 percent of air traffic in Europe is chartered flights — flights booked in conjunction with land packages put together by tour providers.

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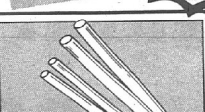
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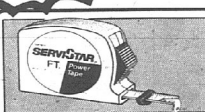
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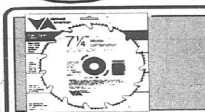
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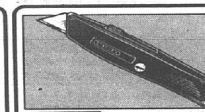
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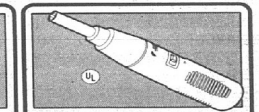
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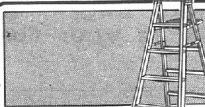
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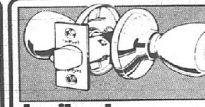
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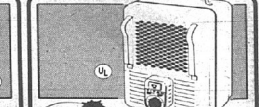
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Some drug-food interactions would impress medicine men

By Janice Denham
Food editor

When "ow" or "achoo" is the exclamation of the day and medicine becomes part of the daily routine, it pays to know what food and drink works best to enhance the drugs' effects. The knowledge can pay because certain foods can interfere with drug reactions in the body and some drugs can affect how food is absorbed.

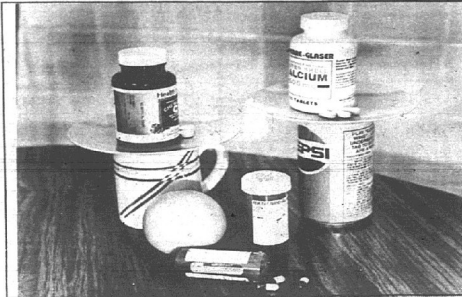
A pharmacist fills 1.5 billion prescriptions annually, an average of almost six prescriptions per year per person. Cynthia Fauser, foods and nutrition specialist with University of Missouri Extension, says, "However, half the people do not use the prescription correctly, so there is a large area of misuse. It can be as simple as not finishing off the end of a series of antibiotics or taking them too far apart."

Capsules are best taken with a meal.

"They shouldn't hit the stomach unprotected so more can be absorbed," she says. "Many of them are time-release capsules, so they are designed to be absorbed in the small intestine. If they are opened or crushed, they might be inactivated by being dissolved in the stomach rather than the small intestine."

Some liquids increase the momentum of pills. Acid-based ones like fruit juices and vegetable juices, sodas and coffee can make medicine work faster, so a time-release pill may give all its power at once and offer little relief toward the end of its projected use.

"Most time-release drugs offer some cushion over the time period, but it is important to know whether the medication should be given exactly on time. Some asthma medicine is like this."



WHICH FOODS and medicines match? When in doubt about what to take to chase down pills, water usually is the safest companion to avoid counterproductive results.

Fauser says. When taking liquids that contain alcohol, it is wise not to add to that amount of alcohol by drinking it. An alcoholic often has liver impairment, so he does not have the enzymes necessary to break down medication, thus effects of drugs may be magnified.

There are helpful enhancements, like taking iron pills with citrus juice, rather than milk which subverts their effect. An unusual reaction is experienced by the person who loves to eat ice cream, which raises blood pressure, but also takes medicine to reduce blood pressure, an obvious cancellation.

Tetracycline is a common prescription drug for acne or infections, but it is rendered inactive

when taken with any calcium product, so it is best to take it at least one hour before using dairy products or two to three hours after a meal.

Women on birth control pills need generous amounts of dark green, leafy vegetables because they are low in folic acid and vitamin B-6. Generous folic acid supplements may cause spinal cord injury to a fetus though if they are taken to counteract this deficiency in the mother. On the other hand, a person who is taking a blood thinner should not eat so many of the dark green leafy vegetables because they help the blood to clot, counteracting the medication.

Over-the-counter drugs need their own special treatment. Aspirin taken on a regular basis uses vitamin C more rapidly, so it is wise to include an extra glass of orange juice regularly. Antacids can decrease the absorption of phosphorus, a good reason to eat dairy products and meat.

"Over-the-counter drugs are also very potent," Fauser says. "They include things like laxatives, antacids. Huge doses of minerals and vitamins become drugs. I guess people think they are safe because you can just pick them up. Nobody is living just on vitamins. People must live on food, too."

She suggests keeping supplements only to 50 percent above the U.S. Recommended Dietary Allowance. For instance, three

times the RDA of zinc interferes with iron absorption, causing anemia.

Alcohol and tranquilizers can cause a sharp fall in blood pressure, which can be fatal.

Fauser recommends that a body change like diarrhea or constipation should be noted if it follows a change in prescribed or over-the-counter medication. She also reminds users that medications are not to be shared, no matter how productive they are for one person.

Pharmacists and their computer systems are good sources of drug information. Always advise a doctor when taking other medication or nutritional supplements or following a certain

diet. Here are some questions she advises a patient to ask when receiving medicine from a doctor.

- What is the name of the drug? What is its generic name?
- What is this drug supposed to do? Will it cure the illness or relieve the symptoms?
- How or when should it be taken?

- If it should be taken three times a day, is it more effective to take with meals or every eight hours?
- Should it be stopped when symptoms disappear or should it all be taken?
- Should it be taken with food

or beverage? Are there some that are better than others for doing this? Do any activities enhance or inhibit the drug?

For more explicit information about the interaction of medicine and food, a fact sheet is available from Fauser's office by sending \$1 to: University Extension St. Louis County, 121 South Meramec, Suite 200, Clayton, Mo. 63105.

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JULEE ROSSO, left, and **Sheila Lukins**, authors of "The New Basics Cookbook," see family meals part of the legacy of the new 1990s.

Crystal ball sees '90s family eating dinner together again

By Janice Denham
Food editor

In the 1990s the family dinner table will be a busy place, according to Sheila Lukins.

With Julie Rosso, Lukins is author of "The New Basics Cookbook" and "The Silver Palate Cookbook," and food editor of Parade magazine, where she reads the pulse of American cooking trends.

"People are really going back into their kitchens and having real family dinners again," she says. "After the real fast pace of one food style one week and another the second week (in the 1980s), people at least are more nutrition conscious. That goes not just for people going to fancy restaurants, but also people who go to fast-food restaurants."

Her characteristic meal is not a tremendous effort, just solid cooking. It is ready in 15 to 20 minutes. It includes stews and soups that are made for more than one meal and frozen, then reheated and served with a fresh salad and a little bread — usually without butter — on the side.

"It really is nice to be centered again," Lukins says. "With everyone going in different directions, I really do think it's necessary to designate a few nights a week to eat together."

She and her husband have two teenage daughters. While they once moaned and groaned over such a standard, they now complain when those family meals occasionally fall through.

Lukins, who once included ownership of The Silver Palate food shop in Manhattan along with her other professional responsibilities, has backed

away from some of them and sold the food shop.

Can a woman of the '90s who has mastered a career and family feel fulfilled in the kitchen, too?

She thinks it is possible, "but we have to learn the word 'moderation.' When you have to start sacrificing one thing for another, you haven't figured out what is important. I don't think working around the clock ultimately will work. No one comes out a winner."

Lukins starts in the kitchen by considering the work comfortable, not a chore or a drudge. It may stem from family pictures on the wall, comfortable chairs, a plant on the table or a round table for easy talk.

She sees the ethnic heritage, often French or Italian up to now, expanding to include African, Asian and other nationalities. Some of this shows in the variety of dry beans that are available. The book lists 14 varieties, from Japanese adzuki beans to great Northern.

An example of the 1990s expanded way of thinking in the book is a selection of pestos besides those made with basil. To this end, there always can be a tomato sauce made with yesterday's fresh tomatoes, a few cloves of garlic and some fresh or dried herbs. She uses it not only on pasta, but also on a chicken breast or fish fillet.

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Soup-er flavor turns warm during January's celebration

Americans will consume more than 57 million gallons of soup in the month of January alone, according to the '90s with a warm, comforting flourish. That translates to about one billion bowls of soup in only 31 days.

January is National Soup Month. What a warm way to spend a cool month.

Joining the celebration can be as easy as heating a bowl of canned chicken noodle soup or creating a homemade version from scratch. It is a perfect way to treat guests or entertain family any night of the week.

Here are quick, hearty and tasty soup recipes developed for National Soup Month. Each uses canned soup to hasten its preparation.

Beefy Harvest Soup will nip the bluster from a January day. A combination of beef strips, cream of mushroom soup and vegetables, it is a delicious main dish soup that is ideal at lunch or dinner.

For a warming and hearty soup, try Sausage Corn Chowder, as easy to put together as sau-

sage, green onions, corn, Swiss cheese, pepper sauce and cream of chicken soup can be.

Fiesta Tomato Soup lends a touch of Mexico to the celebration. A combination of garlic, tomato soup and chicken broth, it is served over tortilla chips and topped with shredded Monterey Jack cheese. It can be prepared easily on a stove top or in a microwave oven.

Beefy harvest soup

- 1 lb. beef round steak (3/4 inch thick)
- 1 tbsp. oil
- 2 cans (10 1/2 oz. each) cream of mushroom soup
- 1 soup can water
- 1 can (about 8 oz.) tomatoes, undrained, cut up
- 1 small bay leaf
- 1/2 tsp. thyme
- 2 medium carrots, sliced 1/4 inch thick
- 2 medium potatoes, peeled, cubed 1/2 inch
- 1 can (about 8 oz.) french-style green beans, undrained

Freeze meat 1 hour to make slicing easier. Slice in thin strips

2 inches long.

In 5-quart Dutch oven over high heat, in hot oil cook beef until browned.

Gradually stir in soup and water.

Add tomatoes, bay leaf, thyme, carrots and potatoes.

Heat to boiling.

Reduce heat to low.

Simmer, covered, 25 minutes.

Add green beans. Simmer 5 minutes more or until vegetables are tender, stirring occasionally.

Makes 8 cups or 6 servings.

Sausage corn chowder

- 8 oz. bulk pork sausage
- 1/2 cup sliced green onions
- 1 can (10 1/2 oz.) cream of chicken soup
- 1/2 cup can milk
- 1 can (8 oz.) whole kernel corn, undrained
- 1/2 cup (2 oz.) shredded Swiss cheese
- 1/2 tsp. pepper sauce

In 3-quart saucepan over medium heat, cook sausage until browned, stirring to separate meat.

Spoon off fat.

Add green onions. Cook 1 minute, stirring occasionally. Stir in soup, milk, corn, cheese and pepper sauce. Heat through, stirring occasionally. Makes 4 1/2 cups or 4 servings.

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Q. How do you make chocolate-covered pretzels and how should they be stored? D.R., Philadelphia, Pa.

A. Heat semisweet chocolate chips in a double boiler pan or in a heavy saucepan over low heat, stirring constantly, until smooth. To microwave, place chocolate in a microwave-proof

dish and melt $\frac{1}{4}$ to 1 cup chips on medium 3 to 4 minutes. Stir until smooth. Dip pretzels with a fork and remove to waxed paper. Refrigerate uncovered until chocolate is firm, about 30 minutes. Store pretzels, loosely covered, in a cool, dry place or freeze them in an airtight container.

Q. Can phyllo dough be made at home? M.T., Albert Lea, MN

A. It is very difficult to make

paper-thin phyllo at home. We recommend substituting a home-made strudel dough for recipes calling for phyllo.

Q. Why do some angel food cake mixes produce a tough texture? J.P., Meigs, Ill.

A. Follow package directions carefully. Avoid toughness by measuring water exactly, baking the recommended time and storing cake in plastic wrap immediately after it's cooled.

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Convenient to make, this Lamb Curry is ideal for preparing in advance then reheating when the event begins. On the other hand, it also makes fine dining for two or a few when packaged in convenient portions and frozen for later use.

Juicy tenderness, delicate flavor and nutritional benefits of today's lamb make it a favorite selection for a winning entree. One three-ounce serving of cooked, trimmed lamb provides more than half the daily recommended allowance for protein at only 175 calories per serving.

The lamb is browned, then simmered in a mixture of tantalizing spices which features curry as the main flavor.

Curry, the oldest of spice blends, was developed by British settlers in India. Contrary to popular belief, curry typically is not found in the cuisine of India, where most spices are added to dishes individually. Ginger, turmeric, cloves, cinnamon, cumin seed and pepper are among the spices most often used to create the curry flavor.

Serve Lamb Curry over rice and garnish with chopped cucumber, chopped tomato and toasted almonds for ethnic authenticity.

Lamb curry

- 2½ lb. lamb for stew, cut in 1 inch pieces
- 2 tsp. curry powder
- ¼ tsp. pepper
- 1 tsp. oil
- 2 large onions, coarsely chopped
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1½ tsp. salt
- 2 cups plus 2 tsp. water
- 2 tsp. cornstarch
- 4 cups hot cooked rice

Combine 1 tablespoon curry powder and pepper. Sprinkle over lamb. Brown half the lamb in oil in large frying pan or Dutch oven over medium heat. Remove with slotted spoon.

Brown remaining lamb pieces with onion and garlic in same pan. Sprinkle salt over lamb. Pour off drippings, if necessary.

Return lamb to pan. Add 2 cups water and 1 tablespoon curry. Simmer, covered tightly, 1 hour 20 minutes or until lamb is tender, stirring occasionally.

Combine 2 tablespoons water and cornstarch. Stir into ½ cup hot liquid. Add cornstarch mixture to pan. Simmer to boil. Reduce heat. Simmer, uncovered, until slightly thickened.

Serve Lamb Curry over rice. Garnish each serving with condiments.

Makes 8 servings; 344 calories, 31 gm. protein, 9.6 gm. fat, 31 gm. carbohydrate, 506 mg. sodium, 92 mg. cholesterol each.

Waldorf salad

- 1 envelope unflavored gelatin
- ½ cup sugar
- 1½ cups very hot water
- ½ cup vinegar or lemon juice
- 2 cups diced tart apples
- ½ cup diced celery
- ½ cup chopped pecans

Mix together gelatin and sugar. Add hot water. Stir until gelatin is dissolved. Add vinegar. Chill to consistency of unbeaten egg white. Fold in apples, celery and pecans. Turn into 3-cup mold or individual molds. Chill until firm. Makes 6 servings.

Green goddess salad dressing

- 1 to 1½ cups mayonnaise
- ¼ cup dairy sour cream
- 4 large sprigs parsley, snipped
- 2 green onions with tops, minced
- 2 tsp. lemon juice or white vinegar
- ¼ clove garlic, crushed, minced
- ½ tsp. salt
- Pinch pepper

Blend together mayonnaise, sour cream, parsley, onion, lemon juice, garlic, salt and pepper. Chill thoroughly.

Blender directions: Place all ingredients except sour cream in blender container. Blend at high speed just until parsley and onions are finely chopped. If necessary, turn off blender occasionally and clean sides with rubber spatula. Add sour cream. Blend at medium speed just until combined. Chill thoroughly. Makes about 2 cups.

Sausage and chicken gumbo

- ¼ lb. Cajun or hot Italian sausage, sliced
- 1½ lb. boneless chicken, skinned, diced
- 1 large onion, sliced
- 1 red bell pepper, diced
- 3 tbsp. flour
- 1 can (14½ oz.) seasoned stewed tomatoes
- 1 cup chicken broth
- Pepper sauce

Brown sausage in heavy 4-quart pot. Add chicken, onion and red pepper. Saute until chicken is cooked, about 8 minutes.

Sprinkle with flour. Cook 1 minute. Stir in tomatoes and broth. Cook, stirring occasionally, 15 minutes. Add pepper sauce to taste.

Serve with hot cooked rice, if desired.

Makes 6 servings, about 1½ cups each.

Microwave onion, potato and sausage casserole

- 2 large (8 to 10 oz. each) sweet onions, cut in ½ inch wedges
- 1½ lb. (8 to 10) small red potatoes, scrubbed, cut in half
- 1 large green bell pepper, cut in ½ inch strips
- ¼ cup oil
- ½ tsp. salt
- 1 lb. Polish sausage, cut in 1 inch pieces
- ½ cup white wine
- 2 tsp. chopped parsley

Combine onions, potatoes, green pepper, oil and salt in 2-quart casserole. Microwave, covered, on high 8 to 10 minutes, stirring after 5 minutes.

Add sausage and wine. Microwave, covered, on high 8 to 10 minutes longer until potatoes are tender. Sprinkle with parsley. Makes 4 servings.

Hawaiian turkey salad

- 1 can (8 oz.) pineapple chunks, packed in juice
- 3 cups cooked brown rice, prepared without butter or salt
- 2 cups coarsely chopped, cooked turkey
- 1 can (8 oz.) sliced water chestnuts, drained
- 1 unpeeled medium apple, chopped
- ½ cup chopped macadamia nuts
- ½ tsp. salt
- ½ cup plain yogurt
- Lettuce leaves, as desired
- ¼ cup toasted coconut

Drain pineapple, reserving 1 tablespoon juice. Combine pineapple, rice, turkey, water chestnuts, apple, macadamia nuts and salt in large bowl.

Stir together yogurt and reserved pineapple juice. Add to rice mixture. Toss lightly. Serve on lettuce leaves garnished with coconut. Makes 6 main dish servings; 285 calories, 14 gm. protein, 10 gm. fat, 34 gm. carbohydrate and 223 mg. sodium each.

Carrot snack cake

- ¼ cup packed brown sugar
- 3 tbsp. oil
- 4 egg whites, ½ cup egg substitute or 2 eggs
- ½ cup apple juice
- 2 cups oat bran cereal, crushed to 1 cup
- 1 cup flour
- 2 tsp. baking powder
- 1 tsp. cinnamon
- 1 tsp. nutmeg
- 1 cup finely grated carrot
- Confectioner's sugar, if desired

Coat 9-inch square baking pan with non-stick cooking spray. In large bowl, beat sugar and oil. Add egg whites and juice. Mix well.

Stir in cereal, flour, baking powder, cinnamon and nutmeg until well combined. Stir in carrot. Pour into prepared pan. Bake 25 to 30 minutes at 350° or until tester inserted in center comes out clean. Cool.

Sprinkle with confectioner's sugar.

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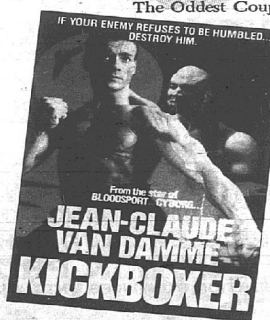
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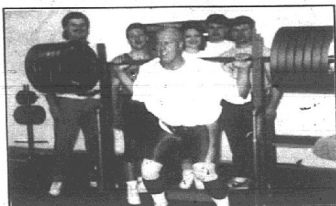
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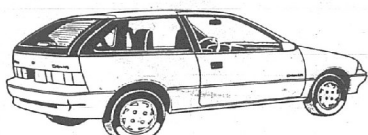


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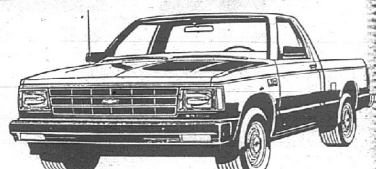
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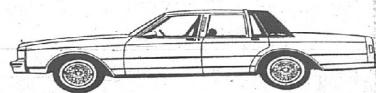
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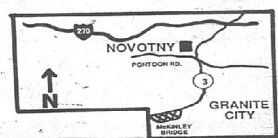
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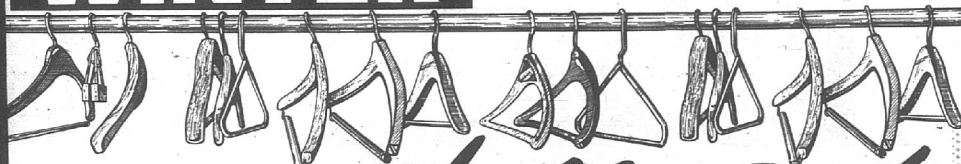
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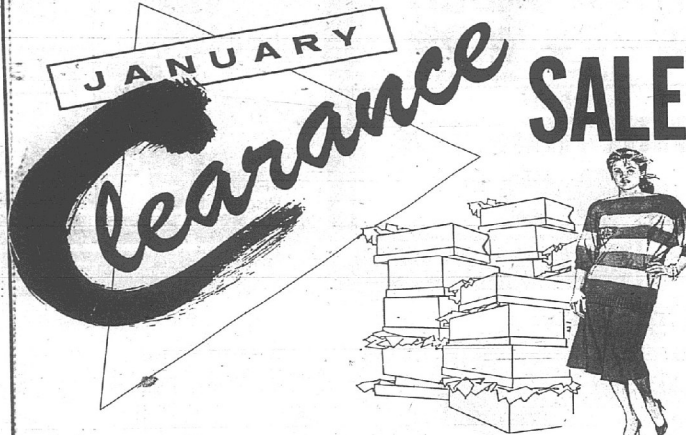
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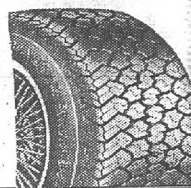


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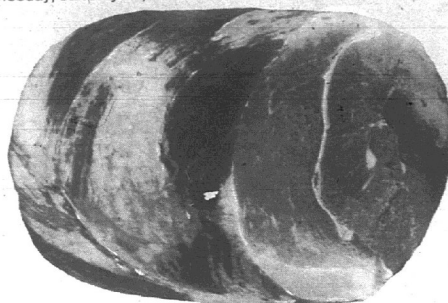
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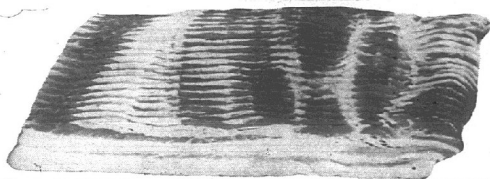
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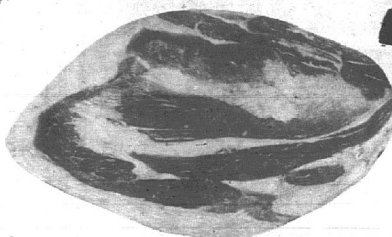
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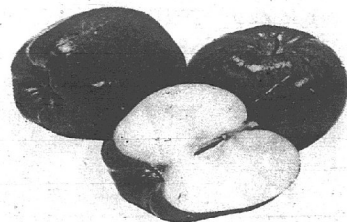
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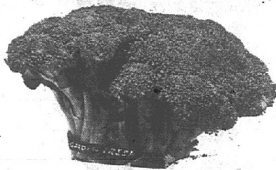
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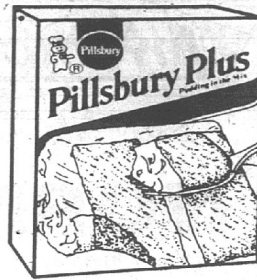
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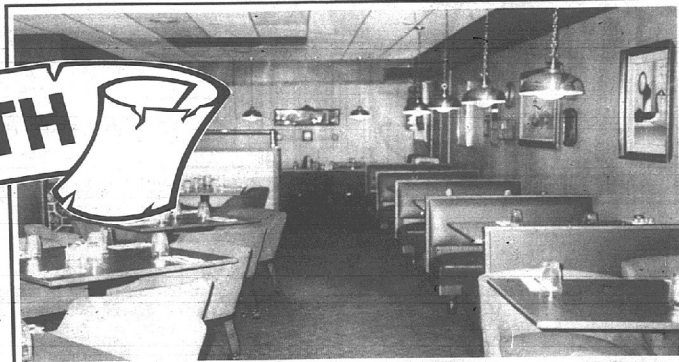
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According to the American Heart Association, approximately 1.5 million people will have a heart attack this year. Cardiovascular disease and its complications take more lives each year than all other causes combined.


The risk factors for developing cardiovascular disease include:


- hereditary factors
- diabetes
- obesity
- high blood cholesterol levels
- smoking
- high blood pressure

By monitoring your health and increasing your awareness of these risk factors, you may be able to take the steps that will avoid or lessen heart disease.

St. Elizabeth Medical Center will be providing **Professional Community Health Screenings** throughout the year to allow you a convenient and inexpensive way to monitor your health. You can also get answers to your health questions in the professional consultations with a registered nurse or a registered dietitian that come free with each test.

The Professional Community Health Screenings for January will be held on:

 **Thursday, Jan. 11**, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. No appointment needed.
Granite City Schnucks, 3401 Nameoki Road, Granite City.

 **Wednesday, Jan. 17**, from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m.
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